

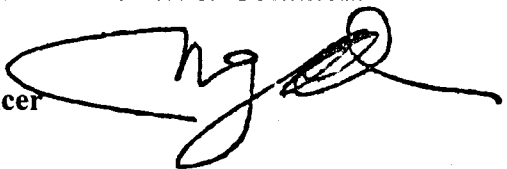
**Government of the District of Columbia
Office of the Chief Financial Officer**



Natwar M. Gandhi
Chief Financial Officer

MEMORANDUM

TO: The Honorable Vincent C. Gray
Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia

FROM: Natwar M. Gandhi 
Chief Financial Officer

DATE: OCT 17 2007

SUBJECT: Fiscal Impact Statement: "Pharmacy Practice Amendment Act of 2007"

REFERENCE: Draft - No Bill Number Available

Conclusion

Funds are sufficient in the FY 2008 through FY 2011 budget and financial plan to implement the proposed legislation.

Background

The proposed legislation would permit pharmacists licensed in the District of Columbia to administer immunizations and vaccinations when certified by the Board of Pharmacy to do so. It would also amend the definition of the practice of pharmacy, and amend the definition of prescription to include approved electronic forms.

Financial Plan Impact

Funds are sufficient in the FY 2008 through FY 2011 budget and financial plan to implement the proposed legislation. The proposed bill is not expected to have a fiscal impact on the District government. Any unforeseen costs can be absorbed with existing Department of Health (DOH) resources.